

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:                      Group Art Unit: 1793  
NICOLAS MUGNIER et al                      Examiner: J. Fiorito

Serial No.: 10/530,352

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For: METHOD FOR ATTACKING BAUXITE ENHANCING  
      FILTERABILITY OF SLUDGE IN ATTACK OUTPUT

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2008,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are found on page 2 of  
this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.